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In re application of: WOLF et al. Confirmation No.: 8811

Application No.: 10/588,410 Group Art Unit: 1638

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Title: **WATERMELON VARIETIES HAVING** Attorney Docket No.: 15872.017

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THIRD INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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Sir:

Pursuant to Applicant's duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, enclosed is a Form PTO-1449 listing twelve (12) references. Copies of the non-patent references are enclosed. Some of the documents may have markings thereon. No significance is meant to be attached to the markings.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 (g) and 1.97 (h), this disclosure statement should not be construed as a representation that a search has been made or that the information cited in the statement is, or is considered to be, material to patentability as defined in 37 C.F.R. § 1.56(b).

It is believed that this disclosure complies with the requirements of 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56, 1.97, and 1.98, and the Manual of Patent Examining Procedure § 609. If for some reason the Examiner considers otherwise, the undersigned respectfully requests that he be called so that any deficiencies can be remedied.

It is respectfully requested that the references be made of record in this application by the Examiner's completion and return of the attached Form PTO-1449.

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This Third Information Disclosure Statement is filed under 37 C.F.R. 1.97(c), after the

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Allowance. Accordingly, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the requisite fee of

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Respectfully submitted,

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